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1. JAPANESE FACT FINDING GROUP ALONG WITH U.S. OBSERVER MR. HALL ARRIVED IN BONN JULY 21. THEIR SCHEDULE WAS TRANSMITTED REFTEL A. IN ACCORDANCE WITH REFTEL B, WE WILL COOPERATE FULLY WITH THE JAPANESE GROUP. ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR USAREUR TO BRIEF ON SUBJECTS A AND B MENTIONED IN PARA 1 OF REFTEL A (I.E. EMPLOYMENT OF LOCAL LABOR AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS).

2. WE HAVE NO COMPETENCE IN EMBASSY BONN TO DISCUSS SUBJECTS C AND D MENTIONED IN PARA 1 OF REFTEL A
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(I.E. BURDEN SHARING AND STATUS OF FORCES AGREEMENTS).

NOR DO WE THINK IT APPROPRIATE FOR USAREUR TO DISCUSS
THESE PROBLEMS WITH THE JAPANESE GROUP. WE WOULD
RECOMMEND THAT USMISSION NATO'S OFFER (REFTEL C) TO
DISCUSS THESE ISSUES WITH THE VISITING JAPANESE GROUP
BE ACCEPTED.

3. PLEASE ADVISE.
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